

WILLIAM NEWHAM AND
OLIVIA SOPHIA MOORE
BANCROFT



William Newham Bancroft was born on
February 18, 1842, in Breaston, Derbyshire,

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England, son of William Newham Bancroft Sr. He married Olivia Sophia Moore in the Endowment House in Salt Lake City. She was born August 31, 1852, in Willenhall, Staffordshire, England, daughter of George and Mary Ann Davis Moore. William died in 1901 and Olive died November 6, 1933.

When eight years old, Olivia walked across the plains with her parents and they settled first in the Provo area. Olivia was baptized into the LDS Church in 1860. William Bancroft and Olivia Moore were married May 15, 1871, in the Endowment House in Salt Lake City.

Billie and Ollie, as they were better known, lived first in Provo. Later they moved to Wallsburg, Wasatch County, where Billie was interested in a shingle mill.

The Bancrofts were very poor people. Billie sharpened scissors and soldered pans to earn money. He was musically inclined, playing the dulcimer for dances and entertainments, while a Mr. Wheeler from Wallsburg fiddled. Ollie acted as a midwife and also did washings, going as far as Charleston, walking both ways and doing large washings on the board for fifty cents a washing. Washing in those days meant hauling water from the creek or spring.

Their humble home was burned to the ground, so Ollie washed both at home and at other homes and did other odd jobs until she had enough logs bought to build another home. Then the people in the ward, under the direction of the bishopric, built her a home, which still stands, Warren Oaks being the owner. When John P. Anderson was a member of the school board they hired Ollie to be janitor of the school. He said she was a very dependable woman.

Ollie was a counselor in the Primary many years and chorister in the ward, and did much singing. She had a beautiful voice. She took care of supplies for the Sacrament. She was good-looking, very proud and jolly, and was loved by all who knew her. She was a faithful Latter-day Saint and loved the Church.

They were the parents of 11 children: Catherine Olivia, born March 28, 1872, at Provo, who married William James Williams.

William, born September 13, 1874, at Wallsburg, who died in 1874.

Mary Agnes, born August 16, 1875, at Heber, who married Joseph Chaplin and Joseph Pulley. Died.

Annie Eliza, born February 18, 1878, at Wallsburg, married John Meznen.

Hannah, born October 19, 1880, at Wallsburg, married Henry X. Clegg.

Minnie, born August 27, 1882, at Wallsburg, married Chester Davis.

Nellie, born September 25, 1884, at Wallsburg, married Bert Wilbur.

Emma, born February 28, 1887, at Wallsburg, married Sam Howarth.

Lillie, born November 6, 1889, at Charleston, married Wilbur Washburn and Porter Woodmore.

Romanza, born August 10, 1892, at Daniel, married Orson O. Mott.

George Albert, born July 4, 1895, at Daniel, married Callie Augusta Rasmussen.

Myrle Marie, born March 27, 1898, married David Baum and Earl McCormick.

When George Albert was born, Billie was at Heber to a celebration. When he heard he had a son after so many girls, the trip home to see him seemed endless. 850

HYRUM DANIEL AND BERTHA KINSEY BATES



Hyrum Daniel Bates, son of John Bates, Jr. and Lucina Angeline Keller, was born Sept. 5, 1870. He married Bertha Kinsey Sept. 15, 1890 at Evanston, Wyoming. She was born Oct. 31, 1870 in Burton Ontonagon, England to George Kinsey and Eliza Bates. Eliza was John Bates Sr.'s oldest daughter. Hyrum died Dec. 21, 1940. Bertha died Oct. 31, 1947.

Bertha came with her parents to America when just a small child and they made their way across the plains under many hardships.

Hyrum D. was a very active, honest, hard working boy. He herded cattle many long hours. He worked with his father cutting logs to build fences and to add more room

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to their home. After this was built, mud and straw, mixed together, had to be put into the places between logs to keep the cold out.

Hyrum and Bertha lived at the ranch awhile, and John Jr. lived with them. Then they moved to Wanship, helping to clear land for farms and making a new road. In 1893, they moved to Park City where Hyrum worked in the Daly Judge mill and acted as a volunteer fireman. He played the accordion and violin.

Bertha was a capable housewife and mother and spent many hours caring for the sick.

The children of Hyrum and Bertha were: Bertha Eliza, Daniel Hyrum, Lizzie Lucina, Walter G. J., Gertrude Emma, Silvia Bell, Annie Ardella, William Edward, Wallace Menrow, Lawrence Arthur and William Bates.

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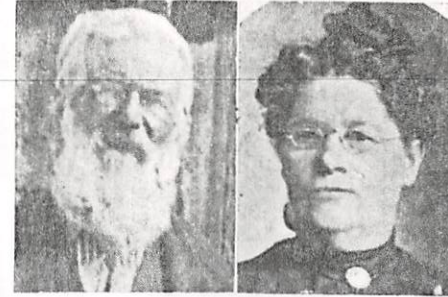
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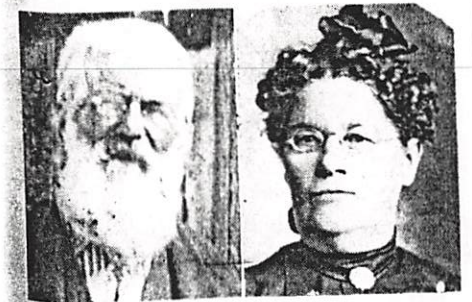
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